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REQUEST FOR ONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Application Number	09/802,931
Confirmation Number	7226
Filing Date	March 12, 2001
First Named Inventor	Jurgen KRUHN
Group Art Unit	2135
Examiner Name	Thanhnga B. TRUONG
Matter Number	Q63553
Title KEY AND LOCK DEVICE	

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000,	Matter Number Q63553	
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995	Title KEY AND LOCK DEVICE	
This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.		
1. SUBMISSION REQUIRED UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 a. □ Previously submitted i. □ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply previously filed on ii. □ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reiii. □ Other	eply Brief previously filed on	
 b. ☑ Enclosed i. ☑ Amendment/Reply ii. □ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) iii.□ Information Disclosure Statements (IDS) iv. ☑ Petition for Extension of Time v. □ Other 	-	
2. MISCELLANEOUS a. □ Suspension of action on the above-identified application of the above-identifi		
3. FEES A check for the RCE statutory fee of \$790.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.		
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